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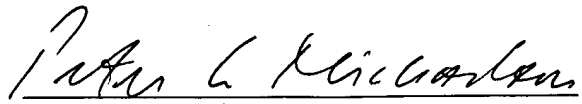
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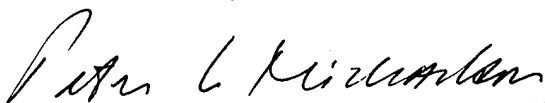
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**AMENDMENT**

In response to the Office Action mailed  
January 11, 2006 (Paper No./Mail Date 20060109), please  
amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the  
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Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.